



GRANBURY QUILTERS' GUILD NEWS

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2024 COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Block of the Month
Kathy Tingley
Community Service
Trisha Lenz & Rae Ellen Willming
Quilt of Valor
Kathy Cosand
Gail Olney
Door Prizes
Linda Keithley & Angie Walters
Hospitality
Jill Henriksen & Mary Ann Schiller
Membership
Sharen Gilleland
Welcome Committee
Barbara Fowler
Newsletter
Joy Kelly
Spring Retreat
Linda Hyde
Fall Retreat
Glenda Marsh & Joy Kelly
Quilt Show Chairs
Joy Kelly & Carolyn Sponsky
Show n Tell
Linda Hyde
Sunshine & Shadow
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Technical Support
Brittany Meagher
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Long armers that quilt our donation quilts:

Carolyn Sponsky
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Darlena Burnett
Jamie Skelton

President's Note . . .

Hi Ladies

Hope this finds everyone safe and staying cool. July 4th holiday is past us, so the summer is half over—that's the way we thought when we were young! Let's hope the extreme heat is half over!!!!

Next week, we are having our (indoor) summer picnic and garage sale. Opportunity for all members to sell some of their quilting surplus supplies. Due to limited room, please no big items. If you have a cabinet or a sewing machine you want to offer, take a picture and see if anyone is interested. Everyone bring a dish to pass. The Guild will furnish hamburgers. We will eat first then have our brief meeting and then everyone will be free to SHOP! And of course, show and tell.

Note earlier start time of 6:00pm for Picnic/Garage Sale Meeting.

Still communicating with City of Granbury representative to set a date for our 2025 Quilt Show. Our raffle quilt has made it's way to several other guild meetings. It has been to Josha, Stephenville and next week it is going to Fort Worth. If interested in visiting another guild and taking our quilt to sell raffle tickets, please let us know.

Joy Kelly, President

Guild Programs

July meeting: STARTS AT 6:00 pm

Happy July everyone, I hope your summer had been a fun one. Speaking of fun, join all your friends for our summer picnic potluck. Please bring your favorite summertime picnic dish to share. The guild is working on providing hamburgers for all. Don't forget to bring cash for the flea market, we have 10 vendors, good bargains to be had!! **ATTENTION VENDORS: If you have a table that you can use for your setup, it would be greatly appreciated if you could bring it.** Thank you!

August Meeting

Our August speaker is Nina Clotfelter from Mobile Alabama, she will be doing a zoom presentation called, "What If" Nina has a "what if " mentality and she will share with us the adventures she's been on because of this. There will be some funny stories and lots of samples in this inspiring lecture of listening to your creative voice, and listening to what the quilt is saying it wants to be. And I would like to add she is very nice and we are in the process of setting up a live lecture and workshop for next year, stay tuned.

Happy sewing

Bonnie Rhoby, Vice President



Picnic

What To Bring:

- ⇒ Stuff to sell
- ⇒ Dish to pass
- ⇒ Name Tag
- ⇒ Show N Tell
- ⇒ \$\$\$ for Garage sale and Door Prize tickets
- ⇒ Block of the Month
- ⇒ Hobbs UPC labels

Go to Facebook, Granbury Quilt Guild. Our Logo is in the lefthand corner and the profile picture is our 2019 raffle quilt. If you are on Facebook, LIKE our page!

<https://www.facebook.com/granburyquiltguild/>



**Guild Meeting– Monday,
July 15th @ 6:00pm
@ United Co Op
320 Fall Creek Hwy**

www.granburyquiltguild.com

Email: quiltguildofgranbury@gmail.com ~
Website: www.granburyquiltguild.com

Minutes of Granbury Quilt Guild June 17, 2024

At approximately 6:28 p.m. President, Joy Kelly, called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone. She announced that the AQS jury committee has accepted our guild's quilts into the Ultimate Guild Challenge of the 2024 AQS QuiltWeek contest in the Grand Rapids, MI. She also announced that our Vice President Bonnie, Rhoby will be presenting tonight's program, entitled "How'd You Do That?" and gave a reminder that July's meeting will be an indoor picnic and garage sale. Let her know if you want a table to sell your items.

After Bonnie's presentation, the meeting was called back to order at 7:30 p.m.. Joy asked if everyone read last month's minutes in the newsletter. A motion was made to approve by Maryann Schiller and seconded by Linda Keithly. All voted aye. There were no nays. Then Joy asked if everyone looked at last month's treasurer report in the newsletter. A motion to approve was made by Lynda Hyde and seconded by Sue Veal. All voted aye. There were no nays.

Joy mentioned that our most current membership file can be found on our website: granburyquiltguild.com under the Members only section. It is password protected. She gave out the password.

Then Barbara Fowler with Membership. Reported that there were 46 members present and 2 guests present. The guests introduced themselves and then they did the membership drawing. Joy then discussed that we are still working on getting dates and a location nailed down for our 2025 Quilt show. We were shooting for the Harvest Moon weekend, but the Convention Center was possibly already booked during that time. She has reached out to the city representative that oversees the convention center and all of the city venues. She is trying to get us set up at the newest acquisition venue, the old church at the corner of Pearl and Crockett (by Ketzler's). The city has just purchased the property and hopefully we can get it booked for the Harvest Moon weekend. She will keep us posted.

Our raffle quilt is ready to be taken to various quilt guild meetings to sell raffle tickets. Thank you to Kathy Cosand for donating the quilt. Gail Olney has volunteered to handle tickets. The drawing will be at our guild meeting in October 2024. Genda Marsh and Connie Scott took the quilt to Stephenville and Linda Keithly and Virginia Piles will take the quilt to Joshua next Monday. A list of other local quilt meetings are being circulated and we need help taking the quilt and selling tickets, so if you and a friend would like to take the quilt to a meeting and sell raffle tickets please get in touch me or Gail Olney.

We received notes from the recipients of the scholarships that were read aloud and they expressed their gratitude to our quilt guild.

Door Prizes - Linda Keithly and Angie Walters gave away the raffle ticket prizes.
Quilts of Valor - Gail Olney reported that the meeting will be this Wednesday at Patti's Last Resort and we will be making patriotic burrito pillowcases and that they recently awarded quilts of valor to a gentleman that was 102 years old and one for a disabled veteran.
Block of the Month – Kathy Tingly. Reported that there were 9 red/white/blue star blocks collected and Linda Steele was the winner of the blocks. Then she announced the July block was called color wheel.
Community Service – Trisha Lenz and Rae Ellen Wilming. They reported quilts were donated to the fire victims.

Summer Retreat - A sign-up sheet is available at the membership desk. Those interested in attending the retreat at Compass Center September 12 – 15, 2024, can sign up now so they will be put on the email list. The final payment will be due at the August guild meeting.

Show and Tell chaired by Linda Hyde.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by *Angie Walters, Secretary*



Treasurer's Report

June 2024



<u>Beginning Balance:</u>		
Operating Account	10,059.80	
Savings Account	5,047.95	
	TOTAL	\$15,107.75
<u>Revenues:</u>		
Interest	.83	
Deposit—Membership	25.00	
Deposit—Raffle	254.00	
	TOTAL	\$279.83
<u>Expenses:</u>		
Hartford Insurance	446.00	
ACI Shops & Storage	1,045.00	
	TOTAL	\$1,491.00
<u>Ending Balance:</u>		
Operating Account	8,847.80	
Savings Account	5,048.78	
	TOTAL	\$13,896.58

Membership Report

BIG Thank YOU again to my dear friend, Barbara Fowler for filling in for me a second time. I missed seeing all of you, but now that both of my eye surgeries are completed...I'll be seeing you SO much better .

In June we had 46 members in attendance. Two visitors: Janice Whitecotton visited again. One new member: Debbie Harris Nail. Welcome Debbie. I look forward to meeting you in July.

Thanks to each of you who remember to faithfully wear your name badges.

Sharen Gilliland, Membership Chair

Sunshine and Shadow

If you know of a guild member who is ill and needs a little cheering up, Please contact Theresa Nunn and let her know. Theresa's contact info: 804-832-3388; tnunn87@gmail.com



No cards were sent out for June. Hope this means we are all well.

Theresa Nunn, Sunshine and Shadows Chair

JULY BLOCK OF THE MONTH

July Block of the Month 12" (12 1/2") Color Me Bold Color Wheel (Size & Color Different)
Block must be 12 1/2" raw. If your block is 1/4" too small or 1/4" too large it will not be eligible to win the drawing for all blocks.

Fabric required and cutting instructions
8 each 4" off white squares

One each of 6 different shades 4" squares.
2 each 4" squares (see photo) striped fabric cut on point (start with stripe piece about 6" by 12")

You will need off white for the background – just off-white, not bright white or cream.
6 shades of one -two colors on the color wheel. If you choose blue then go to blue green or to blue violet. If you choose red then go to red orange or red violet. If orange then red orange or yellow orange. The colors should blend in your fabric choices.

Match a white square with each of your color shade squares. Sew and cut half square triangle squares, trimming each one to 3 1/2". For the stripes, be sure you sew PARALLEL to the stripe. See photo.

If you need to cut your squares 4 1/4" to be able to finish with 3 1/2" HSTs then cut larger. If you need to trim your HSTs to 3 5/8" in order to have your rows measure 12 1/2" then do that too. Do what is right for you so that your raw 12 1/2" block actually measures 12 1/2".



Thank you, *Kathy Tingley*, Block of the Month Chair

SUMMER 2024—"COMPASS CENTRE" QUILTING RETREAT

Co-Hosted by: Glenda Marsh and Joy Kelly



The Compass Centre Shoppe

We have the dates confirmed for September 12-15, 2024. There will be a list at the July meeting for those wanting to sign up for this retreat. The cost is \$327.00 for three nights and four days, food included. **Due in FULL by the August 19th Quilt Guild Meeting.** Please make checks payable to Granbury Quilt Guild. It's a lot of fun and a great way to get to know your fellow quilt guild members. So bring your projects. You can even get help with any projects you are stumped on as everyone is more than willing to offer suggestions or ideas to help you complete your project. You can quilt all day and night if you want. There are contests, games and mini lessons too.



QUILTS OF VALOR

The QOV will meet on July 17th at Patti's Last Resort from 9am—3pm.

The QOV block for 2023 is the Ohio Star. Anyone can make these on your own and donate them either to our Granbury guild or mail them directly to Quilts of Valor.



<https://www.qovf.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/2024-Special-Ohio-Star-Block-and-Quilt-final.pdf>

Thank you all for your support to this worthwhile cause!

Kathy Cosand, & Gail Olney

Granbury Quilters' Guild meets on the third Monday of the month at 6:00 pm at the United Co-Op, 320 Fall Creek Hwy, Granbury. Membership is open to anyone interested in quilts and quilting. Annual Dues are \$25 per calendar year (+ \$5 if newsletter can't be electronically sent monthly). Guests may attend two meetings before joining.

Newsletter Ad rates: Business card: \$5; 1/4 page: \$10; 1/2 page: \$20; Full page: \$30

Deadline is the 5th of every month.

Contact: Joy Kelly at joygaylekelly@gmail.com or call 817-919-0467.

COMMUNITY SERVICE SLIP

Name: _____ Date: _____

Item: _____
(i.e. quilt, quilt top, blanket, dog bed, etc.)

Date item donated: _____

Donated to: _____
(name of organization or individual)

Community Service Committee (CSC)

It is important that we keep track of donation quilts. To help facilitate the process, we ask that all members submit their completed quilts along with the donation slip(s) at the monthly meetings. Donation slips can be found at the membership table near where you sign in. Also, we all enjoy seeing your donation quilts at Show and Tell. There will be a tote marked Community Service available to place your quilts once you have shown your creation to the membership. The CSC will be responsible for the delivery of such quilts. Please be sure to designate on the donation slip if you wish to designate your quilt to a particular charity.

If you want to designate your quilt, below is information on some categories.
Harris Texas Health Resources Neonatal Units:

(Any and all sizes are greatly appreciated). Preemie quilts (can be pastel or bright colors) 18" square to 36" square. Soft cotton or flannel on top and backing. No batting is needed for quilts using flannel. No tied quilts for these tiny ones. No fleece is allowed in the hospital as fleece can harbor germs even after washing. Isolette covers 36"x46" made with batting. We have been told the quiet darker environment of a covered isolette helps the babies sleep and grow better.

Quilts of Valor: Contact Kathy Cosand and Gail Olney for details. The recommended size is 60" x 80"; it must be a minimum of 55" x 65" and maximum of 72" x 90".

Nursing Home Throws and Wheelchair Quilts: Suggested sizes for wheelchair 38"-40" wide by 40"-46" long and for lap 50"-55" wide by 60"-70" long.

Ada Carey Women's and Children's Shelter—Will accept any size up to 50x65 (throw size). Any size from a small quilt to wrap their upper body in up to a throw size. Children's quilts do not have to be fancy. Please make them in bright, child appropriate fabrics. They will be dragged around, machine washing and loved to pieces. Quilts for women as well as children appreciated. They often come in with nothing and giving them something of their own to snuggle in is so appreciated. These quilts should have no label.

If you donate an undesignated quilt, we will find homes for any size you make. Twin and larger size quilts can be used for various charities we support as well as disaster relief.

Please remember to save your HOBBS BATTING UPC labels from your batting packages. Our guild can order batting for charity projects at a discounted price through their facility in Waco.

Thank you for your continuing support of our community.

Trisha Lenz, Community Service 909-238-4179, tandlenz@icloud.com

